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***"AN ACT CONCERNING COURT OPERATIONS AND TECHNICAL
REVISIONS TO CERTAIN STATUTES PERTAINING TO THE
JUDICIAL BRANCH."***

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Section 52-11 of the general statutes is repealed and the
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2003*):

5 (a) The superior court in each judicial district shall have jurisdiction
6 of complaints praying for a change of name, brought by any person
7 residing in the judicial district, and may change the name of the
8 complainant, who shall thereafter be known by the name prescribed by
9 said court in its decree.

10 (b) Whenever the court, pursuant to this section, orders a change of
11 name of a person over the age of eighteen years, the clerk of the court
12 shall notify the Commissioner of Public Safety of the issuance of such
13 order.

14 Sec. 502. Section 45a-99 of the general statutes is repealed and the
15 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2003*):

16 (a) The courts of probate shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the
17 Superior Court, as provided in section 52-11, as amended by this act, to
18 grant a change of name, except a change of name granted in
19 accordance with subsection (a) of section 46b-63.

20 (b) Whenever the court, pursuant to this section, orders a change of
21 name of a person over the age of eighteen years, the court shall notify
22 the Commissioner of Public Safety of the issuance of such order.

23 Sec. 503. Section 54-257 of the general statutes is amended by adding
24 subsection (e) as follows (*Effective October 1, 2003*):

25 (NEW) (e) Whenever the Commissioner of Public Safety receives
26 notice from a superior court pursuant to section 52-11, as amended by
27 this act, or a probate court pursuant to section 45a-99, as amended by
28 this act, that such court has ordered the change of name of a person,
29 and the department determines that such person is listed in the
30 registry, the department shall revise such person's registration
31 information accordingly.

32 Sec. 504. Subsection (b) of section 54-260 of the general statutes is
33 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
34 *October 1, 2003*):

35 (b) Any sexual offender who is released from a correctional
36 institution on parole or who is sentenced to a period of probation shall,
37 during the period of such parole or probation and as a condition of
38 such parole or probation, immediately notify [his] such person's parole
39 officer or probation officer, as the case may be, whenever [he] such
40 person changes [his] such person's name or residence address. Each
41 parole officer or probation officer who is notified of such change of
42 address shall notify the chief of police of the police department or
43 resident state trooper for the municipality of the new address of the
44 parolee or probationer and any other law enforcement official [he]

45 such parole officer or probation officer deems appropriate."